

In the Claims:

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1 20. (*currently amended*) A gusset bag, said bag comprising:

- 2 a) a front face;
 - 3 b) a back face;
 - 4 c) a pair of opposing end walls; **and**
 - 5 d) a bottom; **and**
 - 6 e) **a pair of handles;**
- 7 wherein said pair of opposing end walls and said bottom connect said front
8 face to said back face;
- 9 wherein said pair of opposing end walls have gussets;
- 10 wherein said front face has a bottom part;
- 11 wherein said back face has a bottom part;
- 12 wherein each gusset has a bottom part; **and**
- 13 ~~wherein said bottom is formed by connecting to each other said bottom~~
- 14 ~~part of said front face, said bottom part of said back face, and said~~
- 15 ~~bottom part of each gusset, without any overlapping with each other of~~
- 16 ~~said bottom part of said front face, said bottom part of said back face,~~
- 17 ~~and said bottom part of each gusset;~~
- 18 **wherein each end wall has a top edge;**